

THE SOUTHERNER.



Democratic Republican Ticket.
FOR PRESIDENT,
JAMES BUCHANAN.
OF PENNSYLVANIA.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
J. C. BRECKINRIDGE.
OF KENTUCKY.

The Election of Electors takes place on Tuesday, 4th November next.

The Southerner.

TARBORO': AUGUST 30.

The Vote for Governor.

The Standard says: "We present to-day full returns of the Governor's vote from every county in the State. The vote is official in all but eleven counties, and in these we believe our information is correct, or nearly so." It will be seen that Edgecombe gives the largest majority (1874) of any county in the State.

	Bragg.	Gilmer.
Alamance,	916	645
Alexander,	466	411
Anson,	334	772
Ashe,	734	708
Burke,	523	459
Buncombe,	183 m.	000
Bladen,	608	481
Bertie,	470	545
Beaufort,	539	833
Branswick,	404	468
Cabarrus,	426	665
Catawba,	968	158
Craven,	784	535
Cumberland,	1575	928
Chowan,	291	230
Columbus,	589	306
Camden,	107	474
Carteret,	493	502
Cherokee,	632	574
Caswell,	1120	211
Chatham,	1166	1062
Caldwell,	438	425
Currituck,	556	146
Cleveland,	1109	138
Davidson,	823	1199
Davie,	353	586
Duplin,	1113	155
Edgecombe,	1563	189
Forsythe,	1080	926
Frauslin,	744	334
Gaston,	759	133
Granville,	1225	994
Guilford,	571	2059
Greene,	432	289
Gates,	459	392
Haywood,	537	254
Habifax,	736	584
Hertford,	335	303
Hyde,	332	501
Henderson,	665	647
Iredell,	351	1349
Jackson,	570	112
Jones,	261	180
Johnston,	1036	817
Lenoir,	447	263
Lincoln,	614	222
Madison,	576	247
Martin,	706	340
McDowell,	536	395
Moore,	733	677
Montgomery,	211	725
Macon,	367	396
Mecklenburg,	1024	623
Nash,	1107	93
New Hanover,	1522	570
Northampton,	695	428
Onslow,	771	108
Orange,	1119	1045
Pasquotank,	330	502
Perquimans,	304	348
Pitt,	775	716
Person,	678	334
Robeson,	773	669
Rockingham,	1168	439
Rowan,	885	905
Rutherford,	1070	781
Randolph,	561	1281
Richmond,	246	556
Sampson,	990	497
Surry,	877	579
Stokes,	769	498
Stanly,	166	797
Tyrrel,	124	309
Union,	835	273
Wake,	1693	1124
Warren,	819	101
Washington,	261	377
Watauga,	257	392
Wayne,	1332	274
Wilkes,	609	1264
Yadkin,	633	878
Yancey,	810	320
	56,769	44,175
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Bragg's maj'y, 12,504

Democratic Jubilee.

The Raleigh Standard gives a glowing description of a Democratic Jubilee held there through the day and at night on Wednesday of last week, in honor of the brilliant victory recently obtained in this State, and in anticipation of a still greater triumph on the 4th of November next.

Congress.

The Extra Session still continues, with but little prospect of a speedy termination. Happily the members get no extra compensation for their attendance, which will doubtless somewhat spur them up.

Another Abolition Martyr.

A political dispute arose between the Hon. Fayette McMullen, of Virginia, and the Hon. Amos P. Granger, while riding to the Capitol building in an omnibus on the 18th inst. Granger used abusive language when McMullen struck him in the eye. The parties then clenched, but were separated by the passengers before any serious injury to either occurred.

From Kansas.

We have so many conflicting statements of wars and rumors of wars from Kansas, that it is impossible to give a reliable account of the actual condition of affairs in that distracted Territory.

Awful Disaster.

The New Orleans papers bring us heart-rending details of a recent terrible calamity on Last Island, a fashionable summer resort near the Gulf coast. A terrific storm occurred there on Sunday the 10th inst., in which the whole island was submerged to the depth of about five feet, and all the buildings on it washed away. There were about 300 persons on the island, only 100 of whom were saved. The scene that followed the first tremendous gust of wind beggars description. One tremendous cry of agony went up, and in five minutes naught was to be heard but the howling of the winds and the lashing of the waves—200 souls had perished in that short time! The steamer Southern Star, which was anchored near, was blown ashore and bilged, and was thus the means of saving those that were saved. Among those saved, were Hon. W. W. Pugh and family, formerly of Bertie county, in this State, whose situation is thus described by a correspondent of the New Orleans Crescent: Hon. W. W. Pugh's appearance on his arrival at this place was indeed truly heart-rending, his hair was matted with blood and salt water, and had changed its hue as bad his beard. He was pale and emaciated, and in his arms he held with a convulsive grasp the dead body of his infant, the only one out of seven he had not been permitted by an all-wise Providence to save. His conduct is said to have been perfectly chivalrous; all that could be expected of a man of his exalted character.

Another Mail Robber Arrested.

On Saturday last, a lad, aged about fifteen years, was arrested at Murfreesboro', charged with robbing the mail. His accomplice, James Adkins, who was arrested in Petersburg last Wednesday, has been carried to Raleigh by Deputy Marshal Joseph D. Steel, of Richmond city. The youth Williams, is charged with stealing a letter containing \$69.—*Warrenton News.*

The Constitution and the Union.

SPEECH

Of Hon. Thomas Ruffin, of N. C., upon the next Presidential Election, &c., delivered in the House of Representatives, Aug. 2, 1856.

(continued.)

Mr. Chairman, there was one feature in the organization of this House, remarkable in character and long to be remembered. There are a class of Representatives here, who have a peculiar fondness for indulging in the use of such stereotyped phrases as "independent representatives of the free North," "the scourge of the slave-driver's lash," "the crack of the overseer's whip," &c. They seem to speak feelingly when reiterating their stale expressions; and well they may; for, with something akin to them, they have had much sad experience during the present session. You no doubt recollect, Mr. Chairman, that during the early part of the session, your reporter's desk was occupied by a queer looking New York editor, an unfortunate specimen of nature's handicraft, a

living libel on humanity, who, day after day, was to be seen lounging, with apparent listlessness there, like a certain foul old bird on the bough of a dead tree. That eccentric individual exercised despotic sway over a certain class of members, his peculiar followers here, and thundered through the columns of the Tribune his anathemas against such of them as were so unfortunate to incur his displeasure. To offend him was political death to them. The circulation of his paper was extensive in their districts, and the fulminations of his brain passed for gospel truth among their constituents. As a consequence, these "freedom shriekers" gloried in his smiles and trembled at his frowns; his edict was the law; he was the Conrad of the crew, and a soul animated them all. Though they hated and feared, they dared not disobey him.

"There was a laughing devil in his sneer, That raised emotions both of rage and fear; And where his frown of hatred darkly fell, Hope withering fled, and mercy sighed—farewell!"

Let us now look for awhile to the manner of legislating here. All sorts of trickery have been resorted to; rules have been violated, and the freedom of debate, in many instances, suppressed; the "previous question" has been sprung upon the House in season and out of season, and an unscrupulous majority has ordered it, time and again, to prevent discussion on the most important questions, thus prostituting a rule, intended for wise purposes, to the base uses of party.

To manufacture political capital for the presidential campaign, a committee was sent to Kansas; and, as was anticipated by every reflecting man versed in the affairs of that Territory, civil war followed in its wake. The majority in this House is responsible for much of the blood that has been so unnecessarily shed in Kansas. That agitation has caused the untimely death of many a poor squatter, both pro-slavery and anti-slavery men, who, far distant from home and kindred, now lie in their cold and bloody graves in the wilderness, where the wolf of the forest howls their requiem, and the owl, the ill-boding bird of night, shrieks their death-dinge. But what do men who ride into power on slavery agitation care for these things? I have no doubt they would be willing to see the plains of Kansas drenched with human gore, if they could thereby get control of the Federal Government.

Mr. Chairman, let us pass to another chapter in the history of Black Republicanism in this House. Representatives sent here by the people have been harassed, hunted down, and, in effect, driven out of this Hall, for entertaining political principles antagonistic to those of a majority here. Yes, sir, members, pandering to the morbid appetite of northern fanaticism, have deprived South Carolina of two of her Representatives on this floor—Messrs. Brooks and Keitt. Illinois, too, has been deprived of one of her Representatives, [Mr. James C. Allen,] to subserve the ends of party, in total disregard of right and justice. Even now, this party is hunting some pretext to deprive Iowa of one of her Representatives, [Mr. Hall.] To cap the climax, a majority of this House has declared General Whitfield, the Delegate from Kansas, not entitled to his seat, although he was duly elected in strict conformity to law. Eighty-eight members of that majority were not satisfied with thwarting the wishes of the people of Kansas as to who should be their Delegate, but were so blinded by prejudice and imperiousness to reason, as to record their votes in favor of Andrew H. Reeder, whom they sought to thrust on the people of Kansas as their Delegate—an individual with no better title to the seat than the man in the moon.

Recently this House attached an amendment to the Army appropriation bill, iniquitous in its inception, revolutionary in its character—one which it is well known can, in no contingency whatever, pass the Senate. If the Black Republicans in this House conspire together to stop the wheels of Government, they have the power to do it. But, Mr. Chairman, it occurs to me there is no necessity to apprehend danger from this; when the "bug of war" comes, they will back out from their position; they will not dare to refuse the necessary appropriations to carry on the Government. When they realize the fact that they cannot effect their object by bluster and gasconade, a sufficient number of them will dodge out of the way to let the bill pass. They say to the Administration, to the Senate, and to the national men on this floor, "If you don't do this, or don't do that, we will withhold the supplies." An accidental majority in this House is striving to usurp the powers of co-ordinate branches of the Government. They have of late, invented a new way of nullifying and resisting laws. As good citizens, they should conform and submit to the laws of the country; they

should not forget the good old maxim of the Roman patriot and statesman, *Legum denique idcirco omnes servi sumus, ut liberi esse possimus.*

Such is the exemplification of Black Republicanism in this House. Judge of the whole party by the specimen here exhibited! "*Ele pede Herculem.*" Had it the control of the Government, what enormities would it not practice? This is the party that aspires to rule this great country. But gentlemen you may rest assured that it never will be done; John C. Fremont will never occupy the executive chair of the United States.

(to be continued.)

Foreign.

Later news from Europe.

The steamer Niagara arrived at Halifax on the 25th inst., with Liverpool dates to the 16th.

There is no news of interest. Cotton was unchanged, and dull—breadstuffs slightly advanced, with a moderate demand—money tighter.

Markets.

TARBORO', MARKET, August 29.
Turpentine—Dip, \$2 00 to 2 10.
Tar, 75 cts to \$1 00.
Scrape, 30 to 35 cts. per 100 lbs.
Corn, \$3 00 to \$3 25 per bbl.
Bacon, 12 to 13 cts.
Lard, 11 to 12 cts.
Cotton, 9 1/2 to 10 cts.

Good News for the Sick.—Rev. Jas W. Hunt, editor of that popular paper, the "Christian Banner," published at Fredericksburg, Va., in his editorial of March 29th, 1855, thus speaks of Hampton's Vegetable Tincture: "The season of the year for feebleness of body and general debility is now approaching, and we would particularly invite attention to 'Hampton's Celebrated Vegetable Tincture,' and can do feel it our duty, to recommend it to all who are dyspeptic or otherwise in a feeble state of health. We know the virtue, the supreme excellence of this medicine, for we have tried it to the saving of our own health, and, perhaps, life also. No family should be without this medicine. Especially in all lower Virginia should 'Hampton's Tincture' be used freely. The medicine may appear to the purchaser to be very dear at One Dollar per bottle, but even at that price we consider it the cheapest medicine in all our country. We doubt very much whether it ever fails to do good."

Call and get pamphlets and see cures of Coughs, Bronchitis, Rheumatism, Liver complaint, Scrofula. As a liver complaint it is unrivalled. See advertisement to-day and call on Geo. Howard.

MARRIED.

In this county, on Tuesday evening, 12th inst., by Rev Robert J. Carson, Mr. Andrew J. Cotton to Miss Elizabeth Jenkins, daughter of Mr. James F. Jenkins.

DIED.

In this place, on Sunday last, aged 1 year 2 months and 12 days, Caroline, daughter of Mr. Green Oberly.

In this county, on Tuesday, 5th inst., aged about 45 years, Mr. Thomas Mayo, leaving a wife and eight children to mourn their irreparable loss.

In this county, on the morning of the 24th inst., George Wimberly Whitfield, son of George W. and Mary L. Whitfield, aged 5 years.

He sleeps—he sleeps and will sleep on No waking to his sleep is known, Until the resurrection morn.

He sleeps—he sleeps till the last day, In which his body moves its way, In heaven to shine with lasting ray.

He sleeps—he sleeps and why now mourn, Since from this world his spirit's gone, To rest itself in heaven's bourn.

He sleeps—he sleeps and there will rest, No anxious cares disturb his breast, Nor sterner passions dare molest.

He sleeps—he sleeps! his race is run, The father cries, "wake up, my son!" He cannot wake for he is gone.

He sleeps—he sleeps! give up thy grief, Or if thy sorrow be not brief, Go ask of God, he'll give relief.

J. H. W.

NOTICE.

THE subscribers having duly qualified at Edgecombe County Court, August Term, 1856, as Administrators on the estate of the late

Thomas Mayo, deceased,

Hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said deceased to come forward and make immediate payment, as no indulgence can be given.

And all those having claims against said deceased, are hereby required to present them duly authenticated agreeably to law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

Lemuel D. Berry, } Adm'rs.
L. R. Cherry, }
August 26, 1856.

Dry Goods,

For Fall, 1856.

Exclusively at Wholesale

By Stevenson & Weddell
WHO have now in store a superb stock embracing

French,

German,

British and

American Fabrics,

All of which have been selected with great care and attention by one of the Firm at the

Very lowest Cash Prices.

A more inviting stock for the wants of the North Carolina and Virginia Trade cannot be exhibited North or South.

Punctual and responsible buyers are invited to give our stock an examination and judge for themselves of the styles and prices.

78 & 80 Sycamore st.,

Petersburg, Va.

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George V. Parker, deceased,

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And all those having claims against said deceased, are hereby requested to present them duly authenticated agreeably to law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

W. A. Grimmer, } Adm'rs.
Joseph M. Edwards, }

Tarboro', Aug. 27, 1856.

NOTICE.

THE subscribers having duly qualified at Edgecombe County Court, August Term, 1856, as Administrators on the estate of the late

George V. Parker, deceased,

Will offer for sale on Saturday, 27th of Sept. 1856, on a credit of six months, at the residence of the late deceased, all the property the deceased left, consisting of Carpenter's Tools, 1 Mule, 3 Swears, 1 Watch, 1 Bed and fixtures, and many other articles not mentioned.

W. A. Grimmer, } Adm'rs.
Joseph M. Edwards, }

Tarboro', Aug. 27, 1856.

NOTICE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by John E. Bacon, I shall expose to sale at public auction, unless previously disposed of at private sale, on Tuesday the 30th day of September next, at the Court House door in Goldsboro',

A Tract of Land,

situated in the fork of Falling Creek and Thoroughfare Swamp, in Wayne county, adjoining the lands of Dr. John L. McKinnin and others, and comprising about fourteen hundred and seventy acres. There are two settlements on this land and it can therefore be easily divided, should purchasers desire. The principal settlement consists of a commodious dwelling, with fine kitchen, smoke house, barn, stables, gin house and other necessary or useful out buildings, in the bosom of a beautiful grove.

Said premises are about five miles from the W. & W. Rail Road, are very healthy, and contain a fine peach and apple Orchard. There are about six hundred cleared acres, valuable for corn and cotton—comprising both swamp and meadow land. Also at the same time and place, two Lots in Goldsboro', and a couple of as fine Carpenters as can be found in the State. Terms made known on the day of sale.

David B. Everitt, Trustee.

August 28th, A. D. 1856.

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For sale by H. D. TURNER, Raleigh, Principal Depot. Postage 21 cents.

FOR SALE.

A NEW supply of Drugs, Medicines, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, &c. Just received.

Sanford's Invigorator—Russian Salve, Balm of a Thousand Flowers, Ayer's cathartic Pills,

House's vegetable anti-bilious pills, True Lemon Syrup, prepared from pure crystallized juice of Lemons,

Castor Oil, by the gallon, and in quart, pint and half pint bottles, Olive Oil, in quart, pint and half pint bottles, Oxygenated Bitters, &c. &c.

Geo. Howard.

Goods at Auction.

THE remainder of the Stock of Goods, belonging to the undersigned, will be sold

At Public Auction,

On Tuesday of August Court week, at the storehouse on the corner opposite Messrs. Cook & Duggan's Jewelry store, Powell & Wimberly.

Tarboro', Aug. 5, 1856.

Sale Postponed.

The above sale is postponed until Tuesday of Superior Court, the 9th of September next.

P & W.

Town Property FOR SALE.

THE LOT formerly occupied by Powell & Wimberly. Also, the LOT on which I reside. W. H. Powell, July 24th, 1856. 30-5

New Flour.

A SUPPLY of all grades made out of New Wheat, and of first rate quality, in bbls and half bbls.

N. M. Martin, Bro. & Co.

129 Sycamore st.

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 19.

Bagging and Rope.

WE are now receiving our full supply Bagging and Rope, which we offer for sale on favorable terms in quantities to suit.

N. M. Martin, Bro. & Co.

129 Sycamore st.

Petersburg, Va.

Guano.

WE are prepared to furnish No. 1 Peruvian Guano in good strong bags and fine order.

N. M. Martin, Bro. & Co.

129 Sycamore st.

Petersburg, Va.

Commercial Bank OF WILMINGTON.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. from the profits of the last six months, will be paid to the Stockholders of this Bank on and after Friday the 13th inst.

By order of the Board.

Aug. 5. T. Savage, Cash'r.

GOLDSBORO' Female College.

WE find from the following communication placed in our hands, that the learned and excellent President of this College has been compelled by disease to surrender his post. We are also informed by the authorities that the institution is going on in competent hands until a President can be secured. The new Building is represented as very fine:—

"Chapel Hill, July 28, 1856.

To the Board of Stockholders of the Goldsboro' F. College:

Gentlemen,—My health, which was seriously impaired by the excessive labor of last session, has been failing during the vacation. I have taken every care to be ready for the opening of the session, but you have been compelled to open without me. The prospect for the establishment of my health is so bad that I see no chance of resuming my post for some time to